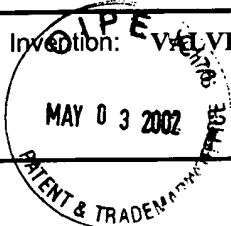



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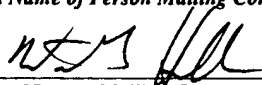
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as indicated below. In compliance with 37 CFR §1.121, Applicants submit contemporaneously herewith a marked-up copy of the revision made to the claims.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 11 to read as follows:

11. (Amended) The valve deactivation system of claim 10, wherein said inner spring retainer is disposed below said outer spring retainer relative to said rocker arm, said inner spring normally biasing said inner spring retainer into engagement with said outer spring retainer.

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